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RESPONSE

In response to the action mailed May 30, 2000, please amend the application as follows:

In the claims:

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(Twice Amended) An electrode package in which one or more adhesively-applied skin electrodes may be sealed, the electrode package comprising:
an adhesively-applied skin electrode,
a compartment containing the electrode and maintaining the electrode in isolation from an external environment, and
a connector electrically connected to the electrode, the connector comprising at least one terminal and a connector body supporting the terminal and including a first end exposed to an interior of the compartment and in isolation from the external environment, and a second end isolated from the interior of the compartment when the compartment maintains the electrode in isolation from the external environment, the connector providing an electrically conductive path to the electrode from outside the compartment when the compartment maintains the electrode in isolation from the external environment.

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